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TYPE OF CASE	STATUS	TITLE OR CAPTION
Assassination of the President	Continued	Lee Harvey Oswald

INVESTIGATION MADE AT	PERIOD COVERED
Irving, Texas	November 28, 1963

INVESTIGATION MADE BY

SA's Wm. H. Patterson and Unum Brady

DETAILS

SYNOPSIS

Interviewed Mr. Bill Randle re his association with Oswald per the information furnished by San Antonio. Negative results obtained since Randle did not know Oswald. HE CLAIMS

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

? → Reference is made to O/M of SAIC Benavides, San Antonio, dated November 25, 1963.

Other Investigation

On November 28, 1963 we interviewed Mr. William Evert Randle, white; male; 29 (DOB 1-20-34); at Irving, Texas. He has brown hair, blue eyes, resides at 2439 West 5th St., Irving, Texas, and is employed at the Irving Counter Top Company which is owned by his brother, Marvin Randle. He advised that he did not know Oswald and had never seen the man until he appeared on television.

HEIGHT? WEIGHT? ?

Mr. Randle stated that he had been at the Austin Motel, Austin, Texas, on November 23 and that he had commented to someone at the motel that Oswald had been living in the neighborhood. This was general information obtained in conversation with his wife, but he had never seen Oswald. He advised that his brother called him at Austin regarding the shooting and he learned that his wife and his brother-in-law, Wesley, had been taken to the Dallas Police Department for questioning regarding the assassination. He caught the 5 o'clock plane from Austin to Dallas and learned that his wife had already returned home from the Police Department.

He stated that he had never made any comment regarding an attempt would be made to kill the President if he came to Dallas. He said he had heard no rumors to this effect. He could give no other information in connection with this case.

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Other Interviewers and Organizations Involved or Interviewed

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Date November 30, 1963

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Mrs. JOHN O. THOMPSON, Manager, Austin Motel, 1220 S. Congress, Austin, Texas, advised BILL RANDLE, 2439 W. 5th Street, and BERRY J. CASTER, 214 W. Shady Grove, both of Irving, Texas, arrived at that hotel at approximately 7 p.m., on November 22, 1963, driving a 1963 Chevrolet pickup bearing 1963 Texas license 3F8823, claiming to be employees of the Irving Counter Top, no street address given.

RANDLE claimed that he resided two or three doors from LEE H. OSWALD and that his wife worked in the same building as OSWALD.

RANDLE remarked that it was rumored in Dallas that if the President came to Dallas he would be killed on account of the Veterans Administration Offices being moved out of Dallas, Texas.

RANDLE indicated he was personally acquainted with LEE H. OSWALD but the degree of association was not discussed with Mr. and Mrs. THOMPSON.

RANDLE attempted to contact one MARVIN RANDLE by telephone number BL 3-9040, in Irving, Texas, about 7:30 p.m., on November 22, 1963, but was unsuccessful in making contact. RANDLE then left the Austin Motel and later the Dallas, TExas telephone operator number 22 tried to contact RANDLE at the Austin Motel and left a message for him to call telephone number BL 3-8965, operator 22, in Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. THOMPSON advised that when RANDLE returned to the motel about 11 p.m., he placed a long distance call to the operator as indicated above and reported to them that he had learned that his wife had been called in for questioning concerning the assassination of President KENNEDY, possibly regarding his knowledge of LEE H. OSWALD.

RANDLE then checked out of the motel and reportedly returned to Dallas, Texas, by plane at 11:05 p.m., on November 22, 1963.

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Mrs. THOMPSON reported that BERRY J. CASTER checked out of the motel at 7 a.m., on November 23, 1963, indicating that he likewise was returning to Irving, Texas.

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Mr. JOHN O. THOMPSON, Manager, Austin Motel, 1220 S. Congress, Austin, Texas, when interviewed concerning BILL RANDLE, 2439 W. 5th Street, and BERRY J. CASTER, 214 W. Shady Grove, both of Irving, Texas, advised that he had no additional information to furnish other than that previously furnished by his wife, Mrs. JOHN O. THOMPSON, who had been interviewed at the approximate same time that THOMPSON was interviewed.

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